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CAUSE NO. 42680

PETITION OF THE CITY OF EAST )  
CHICAGO FOR AUTHORITY TO )  
INCREASE RATES AND CHARGES )  
FOR WATER SERVICE, FOR )  
APPROVAL OF A NEW SCHEDULE )  
OF RATES AND CHARGES )  
APPLICABLE THERETO, AND FOR )  
AUTHORITY TO ISSUE BONDS, )  
NOTES OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS )

You are hereby notified that on this date, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

The Presiding Officers now find that Petitioner should respond to the following questions by October 21, 2005:

Petitioner stated that the \$2,000,000 borrowed to finance Phase 1 construction was insufficient. By how much did Petitioner under estimate the cost of Phase 1 construction?

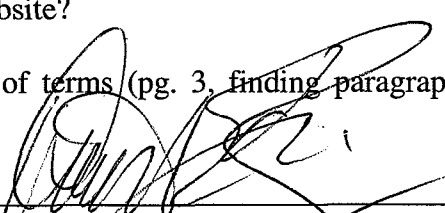
Petitioner's exhibit DBS-1 page 4 of 6 states the total project cost to be \$16,200,000. Petitioner's exhibit DBS-2 states the total cost of the project to be \$16,600,000. Petitioner is requesting financing for \$16,845,000. Why is Petitioner requesting \$16,845,000 when the range for the cost of the project is \$16.2 and \$16.6 million?

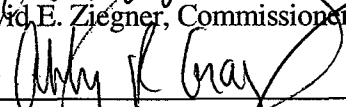
Petitioner's witness Sapkar refers to a study that would be completed by mid-September 2005 (pg. 7, lines 15-18). Is this study now available?

Does Petitioner have a link to its current tariff on its website?

In Cause No. 41771, the Joint Stipulation had a list of terms (pg. 3, finding paragraph 7 of order). Have the terms of the Stipulation been met?

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

  
David E. Ziegner, Commissioner

  
Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

Date: October 18, 2005